HOUSE BILLS—FIRST READING.

The President distributed the following message from the House of Delegates, being House Bill No. 42, entitled "An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of Prince George's county to refund to Emil Becker, manager, Lord Baltimore Country Club, the sum of three hundred and thirty-eight dollars and thirty-three cents (\$338.33) for liquor license paid and not used on account of the use of said liquor license being enjoined by the Circuit Court for Prince George's county." [Endorsed: "Read the third time and passed by yeas and nays."] [Which was read the first time and referred to Senators Holmead, Johnson and Jones.]

Also House Bill No. 361, entitled "An Act to require all licensed keepers of a billiard table or tables in Allegany county, under Section 8 of Article 56 of Bagby's Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, title 'Licenses,' sub-title 'Billiards,' to close at 12 o'clock midnight." [Endorsed: "Read the third time and passed by yeas and nays."] [Which was read the first time and referred to Senators Zihlman, Speicher and Kaufman.]

Also House Bill No. 292, entitled "An Act to amend Article 10 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title 'Dorchester County,' sub-title 'County Commissioners, County Treasurer and Collectors,' as enacted by the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, 1888, by adding new sections thereto, to follow Section 105 and to be designated Sections 105-A, 105-B, 105-C, 105-D, 105-E, 105-F, 105-G, 105-H, 105-I, 105-J, 105-K and 105-L, for the purpose of establishing the budget system of finance for Dorchester county, and providing for the manner of administration for the same." [Endorsed: "Read the third time and passed by yeas and nays."] [Which was read the first time and referred to Senators Shepherd, Cooper and Collier.]

Also House Bill No. 99, entitled "An Act to repeal Section 78 of Article 91 of Bagby's Annotated Code of the Public Civil Laws of Maryland, title 'Surveyor and State Survey,' subtitle 'Public Roads,' and substitute a new section therefor." [Endorsed: "Read the third time and passed by yeas and nays."] [Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.]

Also House Bill No. 208, entitled "An Act to authorize and empower the Mayor and Common Council of Mount Ranier, with the approval of the qualified voters of the town of Mount